GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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MAHILA SAMAKHYA PROGRAMME
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the names of States where Mahila Samakhya Programme is being implemented presently;

(b) the criteria for selection of the States for the said programme;

(c) whether a proposal has been received by the Government to merge Mahila Samakhya Programme of Madhya Pradesh with National Mahila Samakhya Programme; and

(d) if so, the time by which Mahila Samakhya Programme will be sanctioned in Madhya Pradesh?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a) to (d): Based on State Governments requests, the Mahila Samakhya Programme is operational in nine States viz. Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Gujarat, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Kerala, Uttar Pradesh and Uttaranchal, and has been sanctioned for Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh.